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The Tariff Bill in the Senate.

...the Senate the duty on bituminous coal has ...xed at $1 50 per bushel. The vote stood ... The duty on asphaltum and bitumen ...sed to $5 per ton; that on iron machinery ...per cent. ad valorem; that on copper ore ...nged from 15 per cent ad valorem to 3 ...per pound; and the duties on zinc paint ...nc sheets were also raised to 3 cents and ...ts per pound, respectively. The vote in ...nate will probably be had early this week.

The Tariff Prospect.

...*Tribune* correspondent says: The struggle ...en the foreign importers and American ...ers and manufacturers will terminate as ...body knew it would. The Senate will pass ...tariff in the main, amending in many ...rtant particulars the Finance Committee's ...nd disregarding very generally Mr. Wells's ...amendations. The bill will be improved ...e House. It is probable that it will go to a ...rence Committee, in which it is quite cer... ...hat a fairly protective tariff will be regard... ...t only as a national policy, but as a finan... necessity, from which Congress and the ...ury Department cannot possibly escape.

A Lucky Office Holder.

...eral Dix, though Minister to France, is Naval officer at the port of New York ...h is worth $40,000 per annum, and for ...h he has drawn $9,000. On receiving his ...intment as Minister to France, he sent in ...esignation as Naval officer, to take effect ...he appointment of his successor. But his ...essor has not yet been appointed, and is ...likely to be very soon.

...MBER ON THE CLARION.—The Clarion *Banner* says:

"There is said to be immense quantities of ...ber and timber on the Clarion ready for ...ket. If such is the fact, it can only be re... ...led as a very great error on the part of lum... ...men. They are all anxious to obtain high ...res for their products, but they cannot ex... ...to realize them so long as they continue ...verstock the market year after year. Good ...es can never be secured while the supply is ...ely in excess of the demand. One half or ...thirds of the lumber and timber on hand ...bring more cash than if the whole were .... Let lumbermen think of this and act for ...ir own interests."

...he editor of the *Banner* is mistaken about ...lumber market being overstocked. Such a ...irable state of affairs has not existed in ...tsburgh—the Clarion lumbermen's market—...many years. The scarcity of lumber, and ...sequent high prices, have deterred many ...sons from building in years past, and if there ...plenty of lumber ready for market in the ...rion it is hoped it will all reach here early in ...Spring, so that our homeless people may be ...vided with houses as early as possible. ...ere will be a demand for all the lumber that ...Clarion lumbermen can float to our city.

FIRST EDITION.

12 O'CLOCK, M.

THE CAPITAL.

Air Line Road to the West.

Tax on Distilled Spirits.

Increase of Army Officers' Pay.

Probable Vote on the Tariff Bill To-Day.

Spicy Time in the House

One Member Calls Another a Liar

The Offending Member Reprimanded

A New Militia Bill.

More Presidential Nominations Rejected

Testimony Relative to the President's St. Louis Speech.

Special Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Commercial.

WASHINGTON, January 26, 1867.

New Railroad from the Capital.

In the Senate to-day, Mr. Wade took advantage of the absence of the two Maryland Senators to push the bill for a new railroad between Washington and Baltimore to its final passage. This road, when completed, will give a through line from Washington to the west via Harrisburg, without change of cars.

The Presidential Term.

Mr. Wade's one term amendment was reported from the Judiciary Committee, and will be called up at an early day for action.

Distilled Spirits.

The following is the text of the joint resolution in regard to distilled spirits, passed yesterday by the House and to-day by the Senate:

Resolved, etc., that alcohol made or manufactured of distilled spirits upon which the tax imposed by law shall have been paid, and burning fluid made or manufactured from alcohol, or spirits of turpentine, or camphene upon which the taxes imposed by law shall have been paid, shall be and hereby are exempt from tax and so much of section 96 of the act of June 30, 1864, as relates to alcohol and burning fluid is hereby repealed; and all products of distillation by whatever name known, which contains distilled spirits or alcohol on which the tax imposed by law has not been paid, shall be considered and taxed as distilled spirits.

SECTION 2. That paragraph nineteen of section seventy-nine of the act of June 30th, 1864, as amended by the act of July 13th, 1866, entitled an act to reduce internal taxations and to...

THIRTY-NINTH CONGRESS.

Debate on the Tariff Bill.

Reconstruction Bill to be Voted on To-Day.

WASHINGTON, January 26, 1867.

SENATE.

Mr. DOOLITTLE presented the report of the Joint Special Committee to inquire into the condition of Indian tribes and the management of affairs, appointed March 3d, 1865. Ordered printed.

Mr. HENDERSON introduced a bill for the relief of the North Missouri Railroad Company by allowing it credit for duties on railroad iron. Referred.

Mr. WADE called up the bill authorizing the construction of a lateral branch of the Baltimore and Potomac Railroad within the District of Columbia. Passed.

The House resolution exempting alcohol, burning fluid and camphene from tax when the distilled spirits from which they are manufactured have paid the tax, was passed.

Mr. LANE introduced a bill allowing the payment of claims of loyal citizens of the States not in rebellion for quartermasters' stores actually furnished to the United States Army without receipts having been given, upon proper evidence. Referred.

Mr. WADE introduced a bill providing for a Superintendent of the Capitol and Capitol grounds, appointed by the President of the Senate and Speaker of the House, who shall have charge of all persons not in the employment of the Senate and House, Supreme Court, Court of Claims and Commissioner of Public Buildings. Referred.

Mr. WILSON introduced a bill to abolish and prohibit peonage in New Mexico and other parts of the United States. Referred.

Mr. LANE, from the Conference Committee on the bill in regard to the appointment of pension agents, made a report, which was agreed to, and the bill goes to the President. As passed, it removes all pension agents appointed since the 1st of January last, instead of the 1st of October.

The tariff bill was taken up. Several amendments were offered and rejected.

Mr. DAVIS moved to increase the duty on manufactured hemp from twenty five to fifty dollars per ton.

Mr. HENDERSON addressed the Senate, favoring the postponement of the bill until we ascertain what the House is to do about reducing internal taxes.

Mr. WILSON obtained unanimous consent to introduce a resolution calling upon the President for a copy of the report of Gen. Wilson on the capture of Jeff Davis. Resolution adopted.

Mr. WILSON introduced a bill to increase and equalize the pay of army officers, which was ordered printed. The first section gives all officers of the army not entitled to double rations or commutation an increase for two years, from January 1st, 1867, of 25 per cent. on their present pay proper, and establishes the pay of all mounted officers at the same as cavalry of like grades.

Section two fixes the price of rations for two years at fifty cents per ration for all officers below Brigadier General serving with troops, and for educational purposes at West Point.

Section three continues to all officers in the regular army who have served as volunteers the same rank by brevet as the highest commission they held in the volunteer service, and provides that the relative rank of all officers of the same grade and date of commission shall be determined by their previous commissions, whether regular or volunteer, and places all officers on the same footing as to rank, pay, promotions, and in all other particulars, in their respective grades.

Section four continues the present pay of enlisted men three years from the proclamation of peace, August 20, 1866.

Section five abolishes the boards established by the act of July, 1866, except the board at the Military Academy.

Section six abolishes the office of Second Assistant Secretary of War.

Section seven gives Professors at West Point of less than ten years' service, assimilated rank and pay of Major of cavalry; over ten and less than twenty years, of Lieutenant Colonel of cavalry; over twenty years, of Colonel of cavalry, and provides that they, and officers on duty...

BY THE CABLE

The Cretan War Ended.

Bread Riots at Greenwich.

The Steamer Swatara at Minorca.

Opposition to French Reforms.

Concentration of Austrian Troops at Gallicia.

New Frontier Line Between Italy and Austria.

The French Dissatisfied with the New Ministry.

The Canadian Confederation Scheme.

Affairs of A. & G. W. R. W. Submitted to Committee of Inquiry.

Danish Government will not Sell the Island of St. Thomas to the United States.

St. Thomas.

LONDON, January 24.—The official journal of Copenhagen denies that the Danish government has any intention of selling the Island of St. Thomas to the United States.

Bread Riots.

Quite formidable bread riots have occurred at Greenwich.

New Frontier.

It is reported that a new frontier line will be made between the boundaries of Austria and Italy.

Cretan War Ended.

The Cretan war has ended.

Confederation.

It is announced officially to-day that the British Government has accepted the plan submitted by the provincial delegates for the union of the Canadian Provinces.

Canadian Railway Loan.

The Canadian Railway loan for four million pounds sterling, guaranteed by the British Government, is soon to be put upon the market.

The Atlantic and Great Western Railway.

The affairs of the Atlantic and Great Western Railway have been referred to a Committee of Inquiry.

The French Dissatisfied.

Advices from Paris state that the French are disgusted with the ministry...

MEXICO.

Maximilian's War Minister En Route for Europe.

Garrison Destroyed by the French.

City of Mexico Besieged by Liberals.

Ortega in the Hands of the Juarists.

NEW YORK, January 26.—The *Herald's* Vera Cruz correspondent says Maximilian's War Minister arrived there on the 15th inst. *en route* for Europe.

The French, on arriving at Perote, took away the Austrian garrison, destroyed the upper work, spiked the guns they could not remove, sacked stores, and left for Puebla.

Advices from Mexico state that the City of Mexico is being closely besieged by the Liberals, and an early evacuation by Bazaine is expected.

SAN FRANCISCO, January 27.—Senor Godoi, Mexican Consul, received by the Continental, from Mazatlan, this evening, a letter from President Juarez, dated Durango, January 12th, advising him of the capture of Gonzalez Ortega and Gen. Patoni by Gov. Aosa Gaurist, of Zacatecas. Juarez would leave for Zacatecas January 14, remain there two or three days, then leave for San Luis Potosi or Guanajuata, and expects to be in the City of Mexico in March.

NEW ORLEANS, January 27.—The French corvette Rescandon, four days from Vera Cruz, has arrived below, and is awaiting cable telegrams for Maximilian.

FROM GALVESTON.

Remains of Gen. Johnston Taken to Houston—Gen. Heintzelman to be Assistant Commissioner—Gen. Kiddoo.

GALVESTON, January 26.—The remains of General Johnston were removed to Houston this morning, and followed to the depot by a large procession of ladies and gentlemen.

It is reported that Major General Heintzelman will be assigned to the office of Assistant Commissioner of the Freedmen's Bureau.

General Kiddoo has asked, by advice of his medical attendant, permission to visit Washington. The condition of his wound requires a surgical operation.

The ladies' car of the special train which conveyed Gen. Johnston's remains to Houston was thrown off the track while returning, and a number of ladies severely injured.

THE INDIANS.

Large Numbers Moving Southward—Trouble Expected.

SECOND EDITION.

4 O'CLOCK, A. M.

WASHINGTON.

Thad. Stevens's Enabling Act.

The Author Confident of Its Passage.

Ashley Determined to have a Reconstruction Bill.

Success of the Liberals in Mexico.

Chicago and Cincinnati Appointments.

Special Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Commercial.

WASHINGTON, January 27.

Impeachment Memorial.

Representative Moulton, of Illinois, has received the memorial of one hundred citizens of Clay county, Illinois, praying for the impeachment of the President on the ground that he has committed malfeasance in office.

Mr. Stevens Confident.

Thad Stevens feels very confident that his bill to establish new State governments in the South will pass through the House this week after being amended. If even the House agrees to this measure it is doubted if time enough remains to discuss and pass it in the Senate and over the veto this session.

Reconstruction.

Mr. Ashley gave notice yesterday that if this Congress did not agree on a reconstruction bill, he should insist that the Fortieth Congress should remain in session until one passed.

The Riot Commission.

The special committee on the New Orleans riots have taken a vast amount of evidence, but have been unable to discover that any Congressman urged the calling of the Louisiana Convention as was charged by the President, in his St. Louis speech.

A Noticeable Fact.

It is regarded as a noticeable fact that the Senate yesterday confirmed several straight out Democrats, who had been appointed to office by the President, and rejected those of the Republican party who had joined the administration.

Mexican Matters.

The Mexican Minister to-day received dispatches direct from President Juarez, showing the steady progress of the Liberal army in Mexico. Juarez hopes to be installed in the City of Mexico by the 1st of April.

Surratt's Complicity.

The Grand Jury here have completed their...

POLITICAL.

There are eight candidates for the Republican nomination for Mayor of Reading, Pennsylvania, prominent among whom are Henry Van Reed and Captain E. H. Rauch. The election will take place on the 8th of February.

A Harrisburg correspondent says that the next Treasurership is already talked of, and among the most prominent candidates are Senators George Connell, of Philadelphia, and Morrow B. Lowrie, of Erie—both supporters of Simon Cameron, against the instructions of their constituents. The name of Senator James L. Graham, of Allegheny, has also been mentioned in connection with the office. It is the settled public opinion now that there will be a change in the composition of the next Legislature, and that neither of the above named candidates will have much of a show for State Treasurer.

The Meadville *Republican* makes the following suggestion: "Mr. Kerns, of Philadelphia, has introduced a bill in the Legislature prohibiting the publication in the newspapers of gift concert and lottery advertisements. While he is about it he ought to add a clause to protect the people against swindling legislators who go to Harrisburg and betray their trust. Gift concerts and lotteries cannot inflict greater injuries upon the country than corrupt representatives."

Thomas Swan, Governor of Maryland, was unanimously elected on Friday by the Legislature of that State to be United States Senator for six years, in place of Hon. J. A. J. Creswell, whose term expires with the present session.

The New York *Times'* Washington special says a letter was received in that city, Friday, from a broker in New York, whose name and address can be furnished and who is vouched for as reliable, charging that the sum of $50,000 was subscribed in that city to induce the offering of impeachment resolutions in the House. The letter refers to one broker who admits having subscribed $5,000. It does not appear that the money was ever paid. This may possibly explain the premature announcement of the impeachment resolutions.

Chief Justice Woodward, of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, having declined a renomination by the Democracy, candidates are appearing in all sections of the State. Among those spoken of are Judge Walter H. Lowrie, of this city, late Chief Justice; Hon. George Sharswood, of Philadelphia; Hon. Henry Chapman, of Bucks; Hon. J. Glancy Jones, of Reading, it is said, will also be urged for the nomination, but the bad luck attending Berks county candidates of his peculiar persuasion, will no doubt be used against him with considerable effect.

FOR SALE--AT MELLOR'S.

FOR SALE—MELODEON, CHEAP.—A 5 Octave Double Reed, Piano style, made by Estey, for $130, which is $70 less than regular price. C. C. MELLOR & CO., 81 Wood street.

FOR SALE—CHICKERING PIANO.—6¾ Oct. nearly new, in perfect order. C. C. MELLOR & CO., 81 Wood street.

FOR SALE—CHEAP PIANOS.—$70, $80, $100, $125, $200, $250—Second-hand Pianos at above prices. C. C. MELLOR & CO., 81 Wood street.

FOR SALE—ORGAN, CHEAP—5 Oct. Double Reed. Walnut Case; perfect order—$125; regular price $170. C. C. MELLOR & CO., 81 Wood street.

FOR SALE—MELODEON—$45, $65, $85, $100—Second hand Melodeons at above price. C. C. MELLOR & CO., 81 Wood street.

FOR SALE—MUSICAL GOODS—Bargains in all kinds of Musical Goods to be had at C. C. MELLOR & CO'S, 81 Wood street.

LOST.

LOST—CHAIN—A Lady's Gold Guard Chain, with Charm, in the Opera House or on Fifth street. The finder will be rewarded by leaving them at this Office.

FOUND.

FOUND—MONEY—A small sum of Money on Fifth street. Loser can have the same by describing amount, on application at Commercial Office.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—BUILDING. The Iron Front Building No 55 Market street, now occupied by the Fourth National Bank. Apply by mail to JOHN WAY, Jr., Sewickleyville, P. O.

FOR RENT—ROOMS—Elegantly Furnished Rooms (Carpets and Furniture all new) can be had at the Revere House, 62 Fifth street.

FOR RENT—STORE.—One of the best Grocery Stores in the city, No. 15 in the Diamond, Pittsburgh, and now occupied by Wm. Has...

FOR SALE--HOUSES.

FOR SALE—RESIDENCE—In Sewickley, Twelve Rooms; Three Acres of ground, Near Railroad Station. Price low. Address JAMES ADAIR, Pittsburgh.

FOR SALE—COTTAGE HOUSE—A finely built Brick Cottage House, at Rochester, Pa., eligibly situated on the Bench, and commanding a delightful view of the Beaver and Ohio and their valleys—a short distance only from the railroad station. Terms given on inquiring of the subscriber, New Brighton, Pa. B. B. CHAMBERLIN. References—Dr. Joseph Dickson, Druggist, Pittsburgh, and Dr. Chandler and Gen. Powers, Rochester.

FOR SALE—RESIDENCE.—Oakland Residence, at the junction of Craft Avenue and main road. Elegant two story and a half residence, containing Nine Rooms, all completely finished. Marble and Slate Mantles throughout, splendid Kitchen, with Range complete. Capacious Stable on the premises. Ground belonging is about one acre, filled with the finest Trees, Shrubbery, &c. All furnished with best of water from a splendid Well, as well as a large Cistern. Inquire for price and terms, at 49 St Clair street between 10 and 12 o'clock.

FOR SALE—HOUSE.—One large brick Dwelling House, situated in the Borough of Freedom, Beaver county, Pa., containing Ten Rooms, with Cellar, Coal House and Cistern. The house is forty-two feet long and twenty-eight feet wide. Possession given on the first day of April, 1867. Inquire of McCASKY & KERR, Freedom, Pa.

FOR SALE—BUSINESS HOUSE—A Lease of a good Business House on Liberty st.; also, a light stock of Groceries and Fixtures, suitable for a wholesale or retail business. Satisfactory particulars will be given. Possession now or 1st of April. Address A, Commercial Office.

FOR SALE—BUILDING.—That four story Brick Building on corner of Ferry and Liberty streets. Also, for sale, or rent on lease, the Three story Building adjoining the above, being 40 feet on Liberty street, running through to Diamond alley. Inquire of J. S. SHAFFER, on the premises.

FOR SALE—HOUSE.—House No. 34 Pride street, on Lot 48x110 feet. The house is a good Two Story Frame of Nine Rooms. Gas and water in the house. Possession on 1st of April next. Inquire of S. CUTHBERT & SONS or of GEO. W. JOPE, at the Sligo Iron Works, Monongahela Borough. tf

FOR SALE—PRIVATE RESIDENCE...

The Daily Commercial

MONDAY, JANUARY 28, 1867.

THE panicky feeling which prevailed in Wall street most of last week, virtually ended on Saturday, when renewed confidence prevailed. In the general provision market things were not so promising, and in higher grades a fall in prices had taken place. The telegraphic report in another column will be read with interest.

A VOTE on Mr. STEVENS's Reconstruction Bill will probably be taken in the House of Representatives to-day. There is a bare prospect of its passage. It is understood Mr. STEVENS prefers to have his plan fail entirely than have it referred to the Committee on Reconstruction, which, it is said, he does not confide in so implicitly as he did.

FOR the last few days there has been a decided anxiety in New York financial circles which has been measurably arrested. On Thursday last the following was exhibited in Wall street: "Mr. "MCCULLOCH will positively stop "the four millions contraction from "this date and favors using the fifty mil- "lions reserve for the payment of coupons "as they mature." Although bogus, the telegram happily describes what should be the policy of the Secretary. It is not the four millions monthly contraction by the Government—that is solely doing the mischief—the enforced contraction by financial institutions is quite as important a fact. Both should be stopped—for the present at least.

IT is reported that THADDEUS STEVENS intends that when the credentials of SIMON CAMERON are presented in the United States, a committee shall be raised to inquire into the manner in which the election of the latter was procured. If in reality no ground exists for the inquiry, Mr. CAMERON will, of course, cordially second Mr. STEVENS's motion.

ANOTHER disgraceful scene took place in the House of Representatives on Saturday, for the particulars of which see the reported proceedings.

SENATOR CATTELL'S SPEECH.

The speech of Senator CATTELL, of New Jersey, will be found in our columns this morning. It is a thoroughly intelligent discussion by an able and practical American Senator of the great question of the Tariff, and will exert a powerful influence on the public mind, as it did on the high body in which it was delivered. The producing interests of our country owe Senator CATTELL much for the support he is giving in the body of which he is so worthy a member, to the principle of protection—and especially will Pennsylvania thank him for the very able manner in which, in the speech referred to, he has defended the interests of American industry with which she is so intimately identified.

THE CONNELLSVILLE RAILROAD BILL

There is in the hands of the Senate Railroad Committee, at Harrisburg, a bill to remove the obstacles in the way of the Connellsville Railroad Company completing their road—virtually giving effect to the late decision of the Supreme Court of the State. The bill has rested so long in the hands of the Committee that suspicions began to be entertained of a purpose of strangling it, or of bringing it into the legislative world in a way that will virtually be the death of it.

We do not intend to review the merits of this bill now, but simply say that we do not believe that the responsible majority can afford to kill it. The opposition to it proceeds from the Central Railroad Company—the issue being, *the Monopoly vs. the People*. The Central Company has a way of its own; it always intends to win. It does not trifle about small things, nor stop long to dispute with an opponent. If common fame, running a good many years back, does not utter a huge falsehood, the Central "goes for" the requisite number of votes with ready money, and is said to pay liberally. We say this is notorious; is as much talked about and is as commonly believed as the existence of the corporation itself.

The agents of the Central have appeared in the lobby of the Legislature—armed with the usual appliances—to defeat the Connellsville bill, and thousands of eyes are turned upon the Legislature to see what will be the degree of success that will crown their efforts. There is no money—not a cent—to be paid, nor the promise of it, to those who vote for the bill. But no doubt there is money—and a good deal of it—to be had by voting against it. Men will choose sides according to their ideas of things. Some there are who will vote against the bill from pure motives, but it is hard to see why they should be more than a small minority.

There are many thousand intelligent people waiting for the record. That the very upright and intelligent Chairman of the Senate Committee should have held the bill so long, has already puzzled a good many. Should he send the bill forth with a damaging report, many more will be puzzled, and will expect a good reason.

People are getting their eyes open, and Senators and Members should understand it. When buyers are about, the inference is, somebody is to be bought—and all that remains, is to watch events in order to come to an intelligent conclusion who has sold himself.

PENDING the Senatorial canvass Colonel MCCLURE, the editor of the Chambersburg *Repository*, wrote from Harrisburg a letter over his own signature, in which he made the distinct charge of bribery and corruption, leaving the impression on the mind of the reader that he was prepared to prove it. One would very naturally suppose that Colonel MCCLURE would have been the first witness summoned by the so-called Investigating Committee; but although more than three weeks have elapsed, he has received no intimation that his presence in Harrisburg is desired. Some of the Committee, it is said, have talked loudly about summoning the editor of the *Repository*—but why have they not done it? Is it because the Committee are fearful that in some way the truth will come out?

THE recent order of the Pope, removing the American Chapel outside of Rome, has very properly attracted attention in Congress. The President, under the resolution of Mr. DODGE, has been directed to communicate what information he has or can obtain from the American Embassy in Rome, on the subject. The Protestant Scotch worship has also been expelled, and it is suggested that a united protest from Mr. SEWARD and Lord STANLEY would be in order. In the United States the Roman Catholics are on an equal footing with and in some respects enjoy special privileges over the Protestants.

THE doctrine that the sovereign will of the people is supreme, and binding on Courts and Congress alike, is rapidly becoming the accepted doctrine, as the only one consistent with the Republican idea in governments. The decision of a hundred battle fields, sealed with the blood of half a million men laying down their lives that the Republic might live, and ratified by the loyal people at the ballot-box, is higher than any decision any court of ten judges ever rendered, and will stand as the supreme law of the land.

THE Legislature of Pennsylvania propose to visit in a body the State Institutions in Allegheny county on Friday of next week. If in the meantime the Legislature pass the Connellsville Railroad bill—which is now held in a state of strangulation, and in which Pittsburgh, in common with a large part of the State, feels a deep interest—they will be certain of a reception which cannot fail to be gratifying and which is ever due to representatives who do their duty.

THE appointment of a Southern Relief Committee, composed of some of the most worthy and influential citizens of New York city, is a suggestive fact, and one highly creditable to the Metropolis. Large districts of the South are suffering from extreme destitution, and the Christian spirit in this movement, it would seem, must exert a favorable influence on the Southern mind. There is a high promise that deeds of this character will not be without their good results.

THE election of Governor SWANN to the United States Senate from Maryland enables him to realize the reward which after all but poorly pays him for the part he took in the service of JOHNSON. Maryland will be represented in the United States Senate by a united delegation in sympathy with the ideas for which the rebels fought—the result, practically, of the failure by Union men of the State to enfranchise all who were with them in sentiment.

GENERAL INTELLIGENCE.

The completion of the Iowa Division of the Northwestern Railroad to Council Bluffs gives Chicago direct connection with the Missouri River and the Pacific Railroad. It is proposed to next complete what is known as the Cameron branch on the Hannibal and St. Joseph Road, connecting Kansas city and Chicago, and tap the Southern branch of the Pacific Road. The surveys for the proposed new Hudson River, or West Side Railroad, running from Albany to Hoboken, are nearly completed, and arrangements are being perfected for commencing the work as soon as the frost is out of the ground.

England has no Minister Resident at the Court of Rome, but for many years diplomatic intercourse has been steadily kept up between the two Governments by special missions.

The Honolulu *Advertiser* says: There is no use denying that we are practically a colony of America, and our trade is and will be almost wholly with her as the mother country, if rightly directed and fostered by treaty stipulations.

Thomas D. Hall has invented a railroad switch that should have the attention of railroad men. By a very simple arrangement an electric current rings a bell continuously whenever the switch is moved from connection with the main line, thus sounding a warning, not only to the watchman, but to all within hearing.

The following is from the Zanesville *Times*: Among the marriages occurring in this city last week was one of a highly respectable young woman to an individual who was a Southerner, and at the beginning of the war a slave, notwithstanding the fact of his having, to all appearance, no negro blood in his veins; a curious history no doubt, might be traced in this man's birth and parentage; the episode we have given proving but one of the thousand romances of the war.

The Newbern, N. C., *Commercial* says that within a radius of thirty miles of that city, during the last twelve months, there have been perpetrated not fewer than one hundred cases of rape, murder, arson and burglary, to say nothing of the hundreds of cases of minor offenses against the law. These offenses are committed in nearly every instance, by negroes, and the *Commercial* urges the assembling of public meetings to take some action to repress the evil.

For a variety of reasons the emigration from Europe to New York has become very much less as compared with the first three weeks of January, 1866. Then the number of passengers arrived was 6,669. In the corresponding three weeks of this year the number which has arrived is 4,906, being a decrease this year of 1,763 already.

A few days since, a farmer near Newark, New Jersey, was waited upon by a respectable looking gentleman, who said he had come to pay for a basket of apples which he had taken from the orchard when a boy, sixteen years previously. He insisted upon paying not only the original value, but the interest. At the latest accounts he was still at large.

PERSONAL.

—The two ladies who were bold enough to venture upon the ice bridge across the East river on Wednesday, were Mrs. Henry Ward Beecher and Mrs. Moses Beach. Just before they reached the shore the ice began to break up, and for a time they were in imminent danger.

—A story is told of Stewart, the dry goods millionaire, that knowing a certain article was rising, he sent to a Boston merchant to buy up everything of the kind at the hub. He overlooked the putting up of his own prices, however to correspond to the rise, the Bostonian found it out, and bought half of Stewart's own stock at two cents a yard less than market rates, before the merchant prince found it out. Stewart had to buy his own goods at an advance.

—A letter dated Montevideo, November 13th says: "Happening, while in search of a party, to step into a low bar-room, frequented by captains, mates and river men, who should I see laid out on a bench, and too drunk to move, but that illustrious son of chivalry, Captain Maffit, the former commander of the pirate Florida."

—A St Louis dispatch says A. H. Lee, winner of Crosby Opera House, authorizes his brother-in law to dispose of the same to the best advantage, as he has no use for it. The Boston *Journal* says that Neal Bryant, brother of Dan. Bryant is the winner of the prize. The Chicago papers want to know which it is.

—The Rev. Benoni Allen, one of the oldest Baptist ministers in Ohio, died near Zanesville on the 1st of January, in his seventy-third year. He was born in Rehoboth, Mass., February 22d, 1794, and came to the State of Ohio more than forty years ago.

—Rev. W. J. Butler, formerly of Trinity College, Cambridge, has been elected Bishop of Natal, in place of Colenso, who is on the ground, and prepared to make it extremely lively for him in case he goes out. He has agreed to take the advice of the Archbishop of Canterbury and the Bishop of Oxford about accepting.

—A Constantinople letter says: It will, perhaps, be no news to you when this reaches you, that a son of Marco Bozzaris, of whom Halleck wrote his famous ode, is to go to the United States as Minister from Greece. I am assured by Greeks here, who are in the secret, that this has been decided upon, although it is not yet announced. The significance of this will be more apparent when it is remembered that there is no Greek Minister even in London or Paris. The Turks have not wind of this, and they too are talking of sending a Minister across the Atlantic to counteract the influence of the Greeks.

—The Montreal *Herald* thinks it is "humiliating" to see young Bennett "coming out before the world upon terms of equality as competitor in a yacht race with the second son of Queen Victoria."

The President Dodging.

Mr. Johnson dodged the suffrage question. The bill amending the acts organizing the several Territories, conferring suffrage therein without regard to race or color, has become a law without the President's approval. It was presented to him on the 12th inst, and, as he did not return it within the ten days allowed by the Constitution after it has been presented, it has become a law in like manner as if he had signed it. The bill repealing the amnesty and pardon authority given to the President became a law in a similar way.

WASHINGTON dispatches mention a new scheme of reconstruction or rather restoration, which has been for some time under consideration by leading politicians of both sections, and which, it is thought, will receive the President's support. It leaves the States free to regulate suffrage to suit themselves, the President free to bestow pardon and amnesty, and the Congress to admit members on its own condition. "Hands off" generally, and no interference of one branch of the Government with another, is the distinctive feature of this scheme. It is hardly probable that any measure will be put through this session. Already, under the pressure of business, a disposition is manifesting itself in Congress to put over certain questions till the next session, which will begin on the fourth of March next.

A BILL has been introduced into the Illinois Legislature for a Board of Railway Commissioners, to regulate rates of tranportation, speed and protect the producer. It is a radical measure, but the people of the State have been roused to the radical pitch—as they will everywhere be under unjust exactions and an oppressive spirit of monopoly. There are before the Legislature of that State, and likely to pass, two propositions, to the effect, first, that the power to prohibit the consolidation of railroad corporations created by the State, and second that the power to place a limit upon railroad tariffs to protect the public from extortion—are inherent in the State and may be exercised by the Legislature at any time when the exercise of such power is demanded by the public interest.

THE microscope reveals to us the existence of a small black spot of the diameter of a pin's head in the potato. In this small space can be detected some two hundred ferocious animals of a coleopteric form, which bite and tear each other with continued fury. It is easy to comprehend the potato disease when such an intestine warfare is raging.

THE Republican Association of the District at its last meeting admitted several colored citizens as members, and proclaimed their intention to do so in case of every application—their standard of membership being merely a requirement that applicants shall be Republicans in politics and of good moral character.

THE New York *Tribune* is importing printing paper for its own use. We are almost provoked to ask how it reconciles this with its preaching, but will only express the hope that the public will be informed of the results of the venture.

Two foreign papers—one of them the oldest published in Europe—have ceased to exist. The latter is, or was, the *Post Zeitung*, founded at Frankfort in 1616, and at the time of its demise it had been published over two hundred and fifty-one years. The other paper, which was published in Flanders, probably came to an untimely death, says one of our exchanges, because no one could remember its name long enough to subscribe for it. This paper was called by the sounding title of the *Rousselaerschnieuwsaedigingsblad*.

THE Chicago papers, now that the great drawing is over in that city, condemn it. Why did they not say something against it before? Hear the *Tribune*: "It is our opinion decidedly that there was nothing in the attendant circumstances of the late opera house raffle, or art association as it was delicately termed, to make it any more or less than a gambling operation on a large scale, conducted in violation of law and to the prejudice of good morals."

DURING the pinching times in New York the past week, the parties to suffer have been principally young and ambitious firms, who, in their anxiety to do business, have accepted orders from weak parties, and upon narrow margins. There is little reason for supposing that the more substantial brokers have sustained any severe losses, either on account of their own operations, or on their customers' orders.

THE Mobile *Advertiser* says: "The late decisions of the Supreme Court have given new life and courage to the Democratic party." There is no doubt of it. The *Advertiser* may rest assured that the people have made a note of the fact, and perfectly appreciate it.

CLERICAL LAW SUIT.—It is stated that the Rev. Henry Ward Beecher is about to sue the *Independent*, (Theodore Tilton,) for publishing his Plymouth Church sermons and lectures, contrary to his (Beecher's) advice and wishes.

IN Arkansas the laws designed to protect freedmen and Union citizens, cannot be enforced for the want of military force, which General Grant will shortly furnish. Is the war over yet?

THE TARIFF QUESTION.

Speech of Mr. Cattell, of N. J.

In the U. S. Senate, January 22d, 1867

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...prove an important agency in this work. It speaks of cottons and woolens, of iron and steel, of wheat and corn, of linseed and barley, but these are only other words for labor, and the title of the bill might with propriety read: "An act for the encouragement and protection of American labor."

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CITY MATTERS.

ALLEGHENY COUNTY TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

Tribute of Respect to the Late Prof Dickson—Election of Officers.

A meeting of the Allegheny County Teachers' Association was held on Saturday morning, in Neville Hall, corner of Fourth and Liberty streets, the President, Prof. Benjamin Jones, in the chair. Rev. W. S. Gray Opened the meeting with prayer.

Prof. Philotus Dean was called upon, and spoke at some length on the death of his late colleague in the High School, Prof. W. W. Dickson. He paid a high tribute to the talents, social qualities and christian character of the deceased. Prof. A. Burtt followed, commenting on his own intimacy with the deceased, the relations he bore to the Association, the interest he took in educational matters generally, and his great christian zeal. Prof. Burtt being chairman of the committee appointed to draft resolutions relative to the death of Prof Dickson, reported the following, which were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, By an afflictive dispensation of Divine Providence, this Association has been called to mourn the death of Prof. W. W. Dickson; therefore,

Resolved, That in the death of Prof. Dickson we feel sensibly that a great and good man has fallen in the prime of life and in the meridian of his usefulness.

Resolved, That the loss of such a man, one who possessed all the elements of the highest manhood, and used his great powers for the promotion of our best institutions, must to human view appear to be a great public calamity.

Resolved, That in his death our Society has lost one of its best members, the great cause of public instruction one of its ablest supporters, the Christian church one of its brightest ornaments, and truth and justice everywhere a most earnest and able advocate.

Resolved, That we deeply sympathize with the stricken members of that family, who, in the death of our lamented associate, have experienced the irreparable loss of a living and devoted husband, father and friend, and in our prayers we earnestly commend them to our common Heavenly Father, the God of the widow and the fatherless.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be entered on our minutes, be published in the daily papers and be sent to the bereaved family and to the Faculty of the High School.

Miss Eliza McHenry then read a well written essay on "Female Influence," and opposing the extension of the elective franchise to females.

Rev. W. B. Watkins followed in an interesting lecture on "The Anglo Saxon Element in American Society."

The Association then proceeded to the election of officers to serve for the year 1867, and resulted as follows:

President—T. E. Wakeham.
Vice President—W. S. Campbell.
Secretary—J. M. Cook.
Treasurer—J. F. M'Clymonds.
Executive Committee—Andrew Burtt, W. S. Gray, J. Morrow, E. G. Squires and J. Eyers.

The Association then adjourned.

Meeting of the Bar in Respect to the Death of Hon. David Ritchie.

Pursuant to call, a meeting of the members of the Pittsburgh Bar was held at the Court House on Saturday morning, for the purpose of taking action with reference to the death of the Hon. David Ritchie, which occurred on Thursday morning last. There was a large number of the profession present. The meeting came to order by calling James I. Kuhn, Esq., to the chair, and appointing John W. Riddell, Esq., and Major A. M. Brown as Secretaries.

On motion, Marshal, Swartzwelder, John H. Hampton and J. M. Kennedy, Esqs., were appointed a committee to prepare resolutions of condolence for the consideration of the meeting. The committee retired, and after a brief absence reported the following preamble and resolutions, which were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, We, the members of the Pittsburgh Bar, having assembled to express our sincere sorrow at the death of our brother, the Hon. David Ritchie, and to pay a becoming tribute to his memory, therefore be it

Resolved, That in his death we have lost one whose great natural abilities, united with the discipline of a thorough education, justly entitled him to the prominent position which he has so long occupied in our profession.

Resolved, That his faithfulness as a legislator, his acknowledged ability as a jurist, his profound learning and practical knowledge as a lawyer, and his ripeness as a scholar, made his life peculiarly useful, and will cause his loss to be most deeply felt.

Resolved, That while we have learned his death with unfeigned regret, we take a mournful pleasure in bearing testimony to his eminent legal qualifications, his distinguished scientific and literary attainments, keen sagacity, strong common sense, ardent love of justice, and stern integrity.

Resolved, That these proceedings be presented to the several courts, with a request that they enter the same on their minutes, and that the officers of this meeting be a committee to transmit a copy of the foregoing resolutions to his relatives; that we attend his funeral, to-day at two o'clock, in a body.

Pending the adoption of the foregoing resolution, able and eloquent tributes to the memory of the deceased were paid by Marshall Swartzwelder, Esq., B. F. Lucas, Esq., Hon. James Veech, Hon Robert McKnight and Hon. James P. Sterrett.

The meeting then, on motion, adjourned.

The funeral of the deceased took place on Saturday afternoon, from the residence of Mrs. M. Briggs, Fourth street, and was attended by a large circle of the relatives and friends, and also by the members of the Bar.

Italian Opera.

In another column will be found the card of Max Strakosch, Director of the Ghioni and Susini Grand Opera Company, announcing a season of six nights of Italian opera at the New Opera House, commencing on Monday evening next. The company has been newly organized and has been greatly stengthened since its last appearance here. A glance at the names reveals the fact that all the old favorites are retained, and our musical dilettanti will doubtless give them a grand reception. We are promised during the season Meyerbeer's "L'Africaine," and also "Crispino e la Comare"—two of the most famous musical sensations of the times. The sale of seats will commence at Miller & Co.'s, 81 Wood street, on Thursday morning.

SLIGHT FIRES.—On Saturday morning, about ten o'clock, an alarm of fire was sounded from box No. 4, corner of Ferry and Second streets, which was occasioned by the discovery of fire issuing from the roof of the machine shop of Robert Lee, in the First ward. The fire caught from a defect in the chimney, and was extinguished before much damage was done. The loss is slight.

About fifteen minutes after the above alarm was given another alarm was sounded from box No. 64, corner of Penn and Morton streets. This was occasioned by a little boy, son of Mr. Taylor, residing at No. 11 Winter's Court in the Ninth ward, playing with fire, which communicated to the house. Fortunately, the fire was extinguished by a few buckets of water, and with but slight damage.

DEATH IN JAIL.—A German named Nicholas Schimpf, an inmate of the county jail, died Saturday midnight. He was a confirmed vagrant, and committed to jail on the 11th inst. for vagrancy, for thirty days, by Mayor McCarthy. He was taken ill shortly after his incarceration, and was attended by Dr. A. G. McCandless. He had been drinking very hard for some time past, which probably caused his death. Coroner Clawson held an inquest on the body yesterday morning, and the jury returned a verdict of death from intemperance. The body was interred in Hulsdale Cemetery yesterday afternoon. The deceased was about forty years of age, and was formerly a resident of West Virginia. He served in the army some time, where he lost a leg.

BURGLAR ARRESTED.—One night last month the store of Reuben Heistry, in Chartiers township, was burglariously entered and robbed of goods to the amount of several hundred dollars. Information was made before Alderman Strain against two men named Frank Jamison and Samuel Eggleston, charging them with committing the robbery, and Jamison was subsequently arrested. Eggleston, however, managed to keep out of the way of the police until Saturday night, when he was arrested by officer Seth Wilmot at the house of a friend on the Steubenville pike. He was brought to this city and placed in the lock up, where he remains awaiting a hearing.

DEATH OF A PRINTER.—Charles J. Vick, a well known printer of this city, died on Saturday night, at the residence of his sister, Mrs. Layton, No. 142 Fourth street. Mr. Vick enlisted in the 102d Pennsylvania Regiment at the commencement of the war, and during his term of service contracted pulmonary consumption—a disease which resulted in his death. He was of a genial and generous disposition, and leaves a large circle of relations and friends to mourn his loss. His funeral will take place this afternoon at two o'clock.

SERIOUSLY INJURED.—About eleven o'clock on Friday night, as Mr. Gross, his wife and sister were passing along Seventh street, an immense board pile was blown down upon them, and all three were severely injured. They were taken into the house of Mr. F. B. Holmes, where every possible assistance was rendered them, after which they were taken to their home.

DEATH OF AN AMIABLE LADY.—A telegraphic dispatch received on Saturday announces the death of Mrs. Sarah W. Loomis, of this city, which occurred on Thursday evening last, at St. Paul, Minnesota. The body will be brought to this city for interment, and due notice will be given of the funeral.

FELL ON THE ICE.—An elderly lady, named Mrs. Bridget Kelley, while walking up Wylie street to her residence in the Sixth Ward, on Saturday afternoon, stepped on the ice at the corner of Chatham street, and fell on the pavement, fracturing her right arm between the wrist and elbow. Her injuries were attended to by Dr. Donelly.

OUT OF SERVICE.—The Allegheny Fire Company's Steamer is at present out of service in consequence of the boiler flues becoming so impaired by use that their removal was deemed necessary. The steamer is also undergoing other improvements, which will considerably enhance its beauty when completed.

SURETY OF THE PEACE.—Thomas Donovan, a resident of Temperanceville, was arrested on Saturday night, on a warrant issued by Mayor McCarthy, charged on oath of Conrad Mitzgar with threatening to kill him and fire his dwelling. He was held for a hearing.

PAID HIS FINE.—William Orris, convicted at the last term of Court of riot, and sentenced to pay a fine of one hundred dollars and costs, paid the fine and costs on Saturday, and was released from jail.

GAVE BAIL.—William Lewis, who was committed to jail on the 13th inst., by Mayor McCarthy, to answer a charge of larceny, gave bail on Saturday for his appearance at Court and was released from prison.

REBUILT.—The Eliza Furnace, of Jones & Laughlin, at Four Mile Run, on the Monongahela river, which was destroyed by fire some time since, has been rebuilt, and is now in operation again.

ABOUT ORGANIZING.—The Cabinet and Chair Makers of Birmingham are about to organize a Union.

CITY COUNCILS.—A regular meeting of the Select and Common Councils will be held this evening.

THE NUMBER OF FIRES in the city during the past week was six.

BURNS'S BIRTHDAY.

The Celebrations in this Vicinity.

Friday last being the one hundred and eighth anniversary of the birthday of Robert Burns, the poet, the Scottish associations in this vicinity celebrated the occasion in the time honored style. Festivals were given in this city, Allegheny and Birmingham, and they all resulted satisfactorily to their originators and those who participated in them.

THE ANNIVERSARY IN BIRMINGHAM.

The Caledonia Club No. 1, of Birmingham, which is composed of prominent citizens of that borough, celebrated the occasion by a festival at the Town Hall. Over one hundred persons were present, among the invited guests being Burgess Salisbury, Justices Ammon and Lippe, members of the press and others. The hall was tastefully decorated, and Hardy's string band was in attendance. About nine o'clock the company sat down to the tables which extended the entire length of the spacious hall, and were filled with the substantials of the season. Upon the conclusion of the repast the cloths were removed, when Matthew Pate, Esq., President of the Club, announced the following regular toasts:

1st—Robbie Burns, the patriot ploughman bard of Scotland. Song, "Rantin Robin;" Geo. S Wood.

2d—Scotland. Song, "Scotland Yet; David Price.

3d—The President and Constituted Authorities of the United States Song, "Star Spangled Banner;" Geo S Wood.

4th—The Queen of Great Britain. Air, "God Save the Queen." Response, George H. Litbeed.

5th—Burns' Association throughout the world. Song "A man's a man for a' that;" Archibald Wood.

6th—The memory of Wallace and Bruce, the heroes of Scotland. Song, "Scotts, wha ha'e;" Thos. Nelson.

7th—The lasses, God bless them. Song, "Green Grow the Rushes;" J. Oliver.

8th—Burns's Bonnie Jean. Song, "A' the airths the winds can blow;" George Clark.

9th—Robbie Burns; Scotland the land of his birth; the world claims him. Song, "Highland Mary," Wm Auld.

10th—Germany, the land of music and song; the name of Von Schiller is equivalent to Burns. Response by Alderman M. Lipp.

11th—Wales, the land of poetry and mountains. Response by Captain David Jones. Songs, "Our Native Land," and "The Ship on Fire," Henry A. Jones.

12th—The memory of Washington and Lincoln. (Drank standing, and in silence) Response by Capt. David Jones.

13th—Our Army and Navy; the bulwarks and protection of our liberties. Song, "Red, White and Blue." Geo. S. Wood.

14th—Burns as a Freemason. Response by G. M. Irwin.

Volunteer toasts were then read and responded to, and the festivities were continued until an early hour. The occasion was an exceedingly pleasant one.

IN ALLEGHENY.

The Scotch residents of Allegheny, and other admirers of Robert Burns, met on Friday evening at Blair's Saloon, on Federal street. About one hundred and fifty ladies and gentlemen sat down to the tables, and after the removal of the cloth, an organization was effected by the selection of the following officers: President—J. Brown; Vice President—William Semple; Secretary—Andrew Carnegie. Toasts were then read and responded to by Rev. W. J. Reid, Rev. Col. Clark, Andrew Carnegie, Rev. C. A. Dickey, and others. The affair was a complete success.

IN THIS CITY.

The only celebration in this city, we believe, took place at Mr. W. N. Cheesman's confectionery establishment, on St. Clair street. About seventy persons were present. The music and singing was delightful, especially the song by the President, Mr. Archibald Carlsholm, "Up and Bar the Door." "Jessie's the Flower of Dunblane," was sung in excellent style by the worthy host, while Professor Manning's violin solo of "Auld Robin Gray" was much admired. The entertainment was kept up till a late hour.

THE ROBBERY AT NEWARK.—Some time ago a dry goods house in Newark, New Jersey, was robbed of $15,000 worth of goods. Information was received in this city last week that three men named John Williamson, Wm. Butterby and William Davis were peddling the stolen goods in this vicinity. The "working up" of the case was entrusted to officers Seth Wilmot and Davis, who succeeded in arresting Williamson on Friday night. Butterby and Davis, however, managed to escape, and the officers are on their track.

NOTARY PUBLIC.—I. N. Coursin, Esq., recently appointed Notary Public by Governor Geary, has received his commission and seal, and is now prepared to do business at 106 Fourth street. Mr. Coursin is an energetic business man, and thoroughly competent to expeditiously and satisfactorily discharge all and singular the duties appertaining to his new office.

SKATING CARNIVAL.—The National Skating Tournament at the Central Park, will commence to day. A number of expert skaters from abroad have already arrived, and will contest for the prizes. An unusually interesting occasion may be anticipated.

Police Items.

BEFORE MAYOR MORRISON.—A man who refused to give his name was arrested by the Allegheny police on Saturday, on a charge of stealing a pair of shoes from the shoe store of John Huckenstein, in the Third ward, Allegheny. Mayor Morrison committed him to the lock up for a hearing. There were three common cases before the Mayor yesterday morning, who were discharged upon the payment of nominal fines.

BEFORE ALDERMAN JOHNS.—Christian Schoff was arrested and taken before Alderman W. O. Johns, of the Seventh ward, on Saturday, on a charge of larceny preferred against him by a colored woman named Annie Johnston. Schoff was boarding at the house of Mrs. Johnston, and the latter alleges that on Thursday night last, he suddenly decamped, taking with him a quantity of her clothing, and leaving an unpaid board bill of seventeen dollars. Schoff being an insolvent Mrs. Johnston agreed to settle the case if he returned the clothing, and say nothing more about the board bill. Schoff was only too happy at such a proposal, and on making restitution of the stolen goods was discharged.

BEFORE ALDERMAN LYNCH.—Marie McEntire appeared at the office of Alderman Lynch, on Saturday, and instituted proceedings against Ellen Machesney for malicious mischief, alleging that the latter maliciously demolished a bedstead belonging to her, valued at thirty-five dollars. The parties are sisters-in-law, and reside in the classic locality of "Hardscrabble." Ellen has not yet been arrested.

BEFORE JUSTICE LIPPERT.—A hearing was had before Justice Lippert, of Pitt township, on Saturday, in the case of John Loughrey vs Thomas Carr and Thomas Dunahoe, which resulted in the discharge of the latter, and the holding of the former in $300 bail to appear at court and answer.

PERSONAL.—Alderman John A. Strain, of the Tenth ward, who has been absent for two weeks past, returned home on Saturday, and is now ready to transact business as usual.

ALL Goods at a sacrifice, Opera House Shoe Store.

ATTENTION, CONTRACTORS.—The attention of railway contractors is directed to the card on second page of R. M. Shoemaker, General Manager of the Union Pacific Railroad, Eastern Division. Proposals are solicited for the grading and masonry of one hundred miles of the Pacific Road between Fort Ellsworth and Pond Creek, Kansas, the work to be done during the coming summer and payments to be made in cash every thirty days.

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THEATER.—Increased attraction is the order for this week at the Theater. A fairy spectacle entitled "The Child of the Danube," by Prof. Smith, will be given this evening, in which the grand ballet troupe will take part, assisted by Miss Millie Kilmyer, her first appearance in this city. A gymnastic performance by Mons. Moreste and a clog dance by Dick Sands follow the spectacle, the entertainment concluding with a lively farce.

GERMAN THEATER.—The management announce this evening the great drama "Faust," on which occasion the excellent actor, Mr. O. V. Hoym, will take a benefit. He will personate Mephistopheles, a character in which he is unexcelled. The play is well cast and will be well performed. The beneficiary is a talented and deserving artiste, and should have a crowded house to-night.

TRIMBLE'S VARIETIES.—Mr. McFarland has made a hit in his impersonation of "William Tell," and he will repeat it to night. The Black Crook ballet scene will also be given this evening, together with the "Female Forty Thieves" and singing, dancing and minstrelsy.

MASONIC HALL.—The Fakir of Vishnu will commence his presentation entertainments at Masonic Hall this evening. The Fakir has a wide spread reputation as a magician, and his tricks are represented to be highly astonishing.

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R. T. FLUALIN.
Hudson, Mich., August 30, 1866.

DIED:

VICK—On Saturday evening, January 26th, at 12 o'clock M., CHARLES J. VICK, aged twenty eight years.

Funeral from the residence of his sister, Mrs John Layton, No. 143 Fourth street, TO-DAY, (Monday) January 28th, at 2 o'clock P. M., to proceed to Allegheny Cemetery. Friends of family respectfully invited to attend.

PAYNE—On Sunday morning, at 1 o'clock JAMES PAYNE, SR. at his residence in Jefferson township, aged 70 years, 3 months and 7 days.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral on TUESDAY, January 29, at 11 o'clock A. M., from his late residence.

GROSS—On Sunday, January 27th, at 2 o'clock P. M. RUCHETTA, wife of Abram Gross and daughter of Hugh Robertson, deceased, in the 23d year of her age.

The funeral will take place on WEDNESDAY, at 10 o'clock, from the residence of her mother, No. 4 Tremont street Allegheny city. The friends of the family are invited to attend.

LAZEAR—At Waynesburg, Pennsylvania, at 4½ o'clock P. M., Thursday, 24th inst. Mrs. FRANCIS B. LAZEAR, wife of Hon. Jesse Lazear, of typhoid pneumonia, aged 59 years.

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FINANCE AND TRADE.

SATURDAY EVENING, January 26, 1867.

The week just closed has been an eventful one in the New York stock market. Leading stocks have suddenly sunk below par, and fluctuated at panic prices for several days, enabling the shrewd "bears" to cover their contracts at immense profits; large speculative banking houses have failed, and others crippled, whilst the sound ones were so frightened by the sudden depreciation of prices, called in a majority of their loans and refused granting new ones except on dividend paying securities at extra margins. Northwestern common stock was rejected altogether as a collateral by many of the banks and trust companies. To-day, however, there is a better feeling established, and confidence is again asserting its influence in restoring the market to its wonted strength and steadiness. Panics are like storms, disastrous in their effects, but serve to purify the atmosphere. A great many abuses have crept into the workings of the stock market, which will now be corrected. The dangerous practice of "certifying checks," a favor never granted to merchants, and only granted to facilitate the enormous transactions growing out of "brokers' accounts," or, in other words, acting as a clearing house for speculations which are so near gambling that it is not worth while to discuss the difference between them.

We present below the list of quotations of stocks at the New York Board, received to day by S. S. Bryan:

Gold	134⅛
U. S. Bonds, 1881	107⅛
" 5-20's 1862	107
" 5-20's 1865	105⅜
" new issues 1865	104⅝
" 7-30's	104⅛
Michigan Southern	71⅝
Cleveland and Pittsburgh	81⅝
Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago	94⅞
Erie	58⅞
W. U. Telegraph Co	45
Chicago and Rock Island	94⅞
Chicago and Northwestern	35⅞
Chicago and Northwestern, preferred	62⅝
AT 3½ O'CLOCK P. M.	
Erie	58⅞
Michigan Southern	72⅛
Cleveland and Pittsburgh	81⅞
Chicago and Northwestern	36⅞
Chicago and Northwestern preferred	64⅝

Mining stocks look better, and a decided advance is noted in Gregory.

Gregory	9⅞	Nye	8c
Quartz Hill	1⅝	Holman	20c
Corydon	7	Smith & Parmelee	4 50

The following statement of the prices current for the leading railway shares at the first board of the New York Stock Exchange on each of the undermentioned dates will serve to convey an idea of the encroachments upon capital which have been made in the interval:

	Nov. 1.	Jan. 2.	Jan. 25.
New York Central	119⅝	112⅞	98⅞
Erie	86	67⅞	57⅞
Hudson	126⅝	134	121
Reading	117	105⅝	100⅝
Michigan Southern	94	81	68⅞
Illinois Central	126⅞	120⅞	112
Cleveland and Pittsburgh	95⅞	91⅞	80
Northwestern	61⅞	45⅞	34
preferred	81⅞	82⅞	58⅞
Rock Island	112	103⅞	95
Fort Wayne	110	105	94

—The failure of banks in the petroleum oil region in 1866 is all fresh in the minds of the people. The Legislature did not, at that time, pay much attention to the matter out the Auditor General of Pennsylvania appointed a committee to examine into the causes which produced the failure of one of them—the Venango Bank. The report of the minority of this committee has never been published. An effort was made last week to secure its printing, but for unexplained reasons, the Legislature after ordering the printing, almost immediately withdrew its consent. A careful correspondent there of the Philadelphia *Ledger* has sent the following abstract of this document, which we copy from that paper:

The Venango Bank was chartered under our State law, and deposited $601,000 in government securities at Harrisburg to redeem its issue. It was afterwards merged into the Venango "National" Bank and the directors ordered $600,000 of the securities to be transferred from Harrisburg to Washington as a basis for the new institution. The Hon. C. V. Culver was authorized to make the transfer, and certain parties, signing themselves "agents," "attorneys" and "messengers," actually withdrew $206,000 more of the bonds. The failure took place on March 27, 1866, when the liabilities were $1,168,991. Its nominal assets were $1,206,758 81, although in reality worth but $345,134. Culver, Penn & Co. owed the bank $591,315 at the time of the failure, and the Reno Oil and Land Company (under the same auspices) owed $49,597. In addition to these amounts, Culver, Penn & Co. acknowledge the sum of $78,000 to be one—which sum the cashier of the bank apparently judged too small to be entered on the books. These books, however, were scarcely models, for they stated that the bank had securities to the value of $235,450 deposited at Harrisburg, while actually but $65,000 had been left there. These same books did not come within half a million of dollars of showing the true indebtedness of the institution when it failed!

After reaching this point, the minority report on the subject speaks of the Directors as men whose "honesty is unquestioned, and who are recognized by the entire community as prudent, cautious and upright business men." How, then, did they allow the Reno Oil and Land Company to overdraw their account nearly $50,000? This is explained by the minority by saying that they (the Directors) "were the victims of misplaced confidence and astounding imposition." The report charges that C. V. Culver was the person who, by appointing his brother-in-law cashier, "kept the Directors in ignorance of the condition of the bank." This brother in law it is stated, "purposely evaded the committee." The report concludes by saying that "the operations of C. V. Culver were conducted on a most gigantic scale. His financial operations are without a parallel. He is either guilty of a criminal recklessness or a most stupendous fraud."

PRODUCE AND GENERAL MARKETS

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, SATURDAY EVENING, January 26, 1867.

During the week there has been but little stir in our markets. In nearly all branches of trade, business has been almost at a stand still, and at the close, this evening, there was every prospect of remaining so. The severe snow storms and ice blockades have interfered with the receipts and shipments of goods not only on the railroads but also on the country wagon roads. Our rivers are frozen over as solidly as they have been at any time for many years. For the last day or two there were some indications of a thaw, but that has all vanished, and this evening there is a fair promise of still more severe freezing and snow. The inactivity of Congress on measures in which the merchant, manufacturer, producer and consumer are all deeply interested, is having a stifling effect on all business enterprise, and until things are settled there, trade will continue spasmodic and unsatisfactory. The iron mills and many other kinds of manufactories continue closed, and will likely remain so for some time to come. Many collieries are closed, and there are perhaps more men out of employment now than there has been at any time for many years. Taking all things into consideration, there is no wonder at the dulness of trade.

We condense the following from our latest mail exchanges:

CINCINNATI.

Hogs are dull, says the *Commercial*, of Saturday. Heavy were sold early in the day at $7 75, but they could now hardly be sold better than $7 60. Holders, however, do not accept the decline readily, though the market is nerveless and the receipts hold as much as it will bear. We quote the range at $7 25@7 60, for net $6 00@6 50, for gross weights.

Mr. Geo. W. Phillips, Jr., makes the following report of the market in his circular of Friday:

"Hogs—The receipts at all points are larger than last season, and the weight so far as heard from, about the same. Many of our houses have closed for the season, but there are enough open to take all that are offered. The receipts this week were 2,943 for the week. 20,142 and for the season, 416,729 or 62,850 more than the total packing last season. Prices [illegible] gross, to-day, at $6 50a 75 gross, and $7 50a7 75 net.

Mess Pork—Has declined from $21 00 to $20 00 within the week, though at the latter price, it is not easy to buy, but at $19 50 the offerings of choice city are large. In prime mess there is nothing doing, there being but little or none made here. Rump are nominal at $16 00. Lard—Has declined to 12c for good city and country, though the general asking price is 12¼c for kettle rendered. Prime steam is held at 11½a11¾c head and gut, 11a11¼c keg, 13c. Greases, 7½a8½c.

Green Meats could not be sold to day at over 6½c, 8½c, and 10½c to 10¾c for shoulders, Sides and Hams. Bulk meats are more regular, though easier purchased at a slight decline. I quote Shoulders, Sides, clear rib sides and clear Sides at 8c, 10c, 10½c and 11c, all packed and country cured. Bacon clear sides have been in good demand at 13c, though some sales were made to come out at 12½c. Shoulders can be had at 9½c. Sides 11½c, clear sides at 12½c. The general asking prices are ½c higher, without buyers. Sugar cured Hams, best brands, are offered for the future at 15a16c, canvassed and packed. Old sell at 17½a18c. Plate beef, $18 00a20 00. Beef Hams, $30 00a31 00. Dried Beef 15a17c, canvassed and packed.

Flour was steady, with a moderate local demand, but unchanged in price. Wheat also was steady. $2 15 is asked for No. 2 spring; $2 35 is the trading figure for No. 1. No. 2 red winter is wanted at $2 70 in a small way, but held at $2 75; No. 1 is held at $2 85, but not salable above $2 80. Ear corn remains firm at 56c, shelled in bulk will not bring more than 55c, and not that readily. Sacked, it is held at 76c. Barley of strictly prime quality is held at $1 75. No. 1 at $1 65. No. 2 Winter at $1 50, prime to choice Spring at $1 35a1 35, No spring at 90ca$1, and inferior grades from this figure down to 80c.

Whisky in bond is quiet at 25c.

PHILADELPHIA.

Business has been very dull during the past week, but prices of the leading articles are without any material change; buyers purchase in small lots only, to supply immediate wants. Coal continues dull. In coffee there is very little doing. Cotton is rather dull, and prices have declined. Fish are unchanged. In foreign fruit there is no change to notice. Dried fruit is in demand at an advance. In flour there is very little doing, but prices are without any material change. Wheat, rye and oats are unchanged. Corn is in good demand, at full prices; 55,000 bushels new yellow sold at 97ca$1 for Pennsylvania, $5a$1 for southern do, and $1 for white. Oats are less active, and rather lower; 26,000 bushels sold at 57a59c. 2,000 bushels barley malt sold at 1 40. Cloverseed is rather more in demand: 800 bushels sold at $8 50a8 75, the latter rate for re-cleaned. Timothy is scarce; 400 bushels sold at $3 75a4. Flaxseed is in fair demand; 1,500 bushels sold at $3 15a3 20 per bushel. In whisky there is nothing doing, except in the contraband article, which sells at less than the government tax. Wool is firmly held, but the demand is limited.

NEW YORK.

The continued dullness in the flour market, says the *Commercial List*, of Saturday, has culminated in a decline of 10a25 cents on the medium and high grades of State and Western brands. The export trade continues in abeyance from a cause of long standing—relatively higher prices at home than abroad. Nor are the prospects of a revival of shipments to Great Britain at all encouraging. The price of best wheat at Mark Lane, at last mail dates, was 71s per quarter, and best English flour 57s per 280 lbs. The unusually high prices in England have attracted supplies from France, Holland, Belgium, Chili, California and Black Sea ports, but next to nothing from our Atlantic ports. At last accounts there were 200,000 quarters of wheat on the way to England from Odessa alone. From California it was calculated that not less than 150,000 quarters would be drawn. A short wheat crop was one of the causes why we are shipping no flour to Great Britain, coupled with a depreciated currency and onerous taxation are believed to be other potent causes. The sales were 16,000 barrels, the market closing dull at $11 50a12 50 for choice State brands; $11 55a12 25 for common Ohio brands; $12 30a13 25 for Ohio fancy brands; $12 40a14 00 for choice extra Ohio brands; and from $12 50a16 25 for Missouri.

The wheat market was inactive and most uninteresting; business has been on a more than usually limited scale, and prices are nominally lower. The only sales that transpired are 6,000 bushels, on Thursday at $2 25 for No 2 Chicago, and $3 08a3 10 for white Michigan. On Wednesday and Friday the market was inactive, and prices entirely nominal.

CHICAGO.

The *Republican* of Saturday says: The demand for flour continues light, and the market is dull and heavy, and if sales were forced concessions would have to be made. There was not enough done to-day to establish any reliable quotations, and prices must be regarded as nominal. The wheat market was firmer under a demand to cover "shorts." Prices were rather firmer, but there was no change to note—the market for No. 1 in store closing at $2 13a2 14, and No. 2 spring at $1 87 with free buyers, and sellers demanding $1 87½a1 88. The sales were at $1 87 for No. 2 in store, and rejected sold at $1 50a1 57. The demand for corn was light at the opening, but under the influence of the favorable advices from Liverpool, per cable, closing ½c better, at 78a78½c, with free buyers of No. 1 in store at the inside price. Sales were made at 77½a78½c for No. 1 in store, and rejected sold at 53½a54c. There was nothing done in No. 2 in store.

The provision market was heavy and dull, and prices were weaker and lower. Mess pork sold, to a small extent, at $18 25, cash, and sales for February delivery were made at $19. There was nothing done in prime or extra mess pork. Dry salted meats were dull, and sold at 9¾c for hams loose. Green meats were dull, and sales of 30,000 pounds shoulders, from the block, were made at 6a6¼c. Sweet pickled hams were dull, with sales of 2,000 pounds, out of pickle, at 10½c, loose. English meats were inactive and dull. Stretford-cut middles sold at 9¾c, and were dull and entirely neglected, and no sales were reported. Grease sold to the extent of 260 packages, but the terms were kept private.

The receipts per railroad, since our last, were very light. They were of flour 100 bbls; apples 280 bbls; corn 194 sacks; barley 1,136 sacks; rye 100 sacks; oats 974 sacks.

We quote as follows, which are the wholesale prices, unless otherwise stated:

APPLES—Sales are reported of 25 barrels repacked and pressed at $3 75; 20 do at $4; 20 do at $1 25 and 60 barrels at the depot at $2 90 per barrel.

BUTTER—Prices are steady. We note sales of 9 barrels fair at 28c. Choice Roll is quoted generally at from 30 to 33c.

COAL—We note sales of 3 cars Wilkesbarre Anthracite, delivered, at $12 50 per ton.

DRIED FRUIT—The market is very quiet. We quote Apples at at 9@10c, and Peaches at from 17@20c.

EGGS—The receipts are quite light. We quote at from 33@38c, as to freshness and condition.

FEED—Sales of 3 tons seconds at $1 40 per hundred are reported.

FLOUR—The market is quiet. Prices remain unchanged. The decline in the East has not had any effect on this market. Holders are not disposed to make concessions in order to effect sales. The stocks in store are light. We note sales of 40 bbls, low grade, at $10 65; 100 bbls Ford's at $12 00, to arrive; 100 spring at $12 25 and 100 do at $12 50. Winter ranges from $13 50 to $15 00, and fancy from $16 00 to $17 00.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—Market dull and prices mostly nominal and lower. Sales 3 tons at $2 37½ per hundred are reported.

GRAIN—There has been no change in wheat. The transactions are small. We note sales of 1 car white winter, on the track, in Allegheny, at $3 00 per bush; 150 bush red meridian at $2 90; 1 car red meridian, in Elevator, at $3 00; and 3 cars spring red on p. t. No. 1 spring may be quoted at $2 60 and No. 2 at $2 45@2 50.

OATS—Market weak. Sales of 200 bush. from store, at 50c, and 1 car, in elevator, at 47c ₩ bush, are reported. 1 car, on the track, was offered at 46c.

BARLEY—The market rules quiet. We note sales of 1 car spring, at the depot, at 95c, and 1 car on the track at 90c.

RYE—Sales of 1 car, at the depot, at $1 20 ₩ bush; 1 car in elevator at $1 20 and 200 bush at $1 20 are reported.

CORN—We note sales of 1 car ear, on the track, at 77c; 200 bush ear at 70c, and 300 bush shelled at 75c.

HAY—There is nothing new to report. We note sales of 1 car, on the track, at $20 00 ₩ ton; 1 car prime timothy, delivered, at $24 00, and 4 loads, by country wagons, at the scales, at $31 00 ₩ ton.

SALT—Sales of 1 car, at the depot, at $2 75 per bbl; 50 bbls, delivered, at $2 85, and 40 bbls, delivered, at $2 90, are reported.

HOGS—Dressed hogs are still quoted at 7½ to 8c. The receipts are light. Live hogs, at the Central Stock Yards, were higher and quoted at from $6 60 to $7 00 per hundred. There were but few in the pens.

PROVISIONS—The season has fairly opened and the demand is active. We quote sugar-cured hams 16½c to 17; shoulders, 12c; dried beef, 22c, and tongues at $10 50 per dozen. Lard is steady at 12½c to 13c. Mess pork sold at from $20 50 to $21 00 per bbl.

LARD OIL—No. 1 is quoted at $1 12½ to $1 15 and No. 2 at 95c.

POTATOES—Market dull. We quote peachblows at 90c per bush.

SEEDS—We quote clover seed dull at $8 00 to $8 50, and timothy at $3 00 to $3 25 per bush. Flaxseed is active at $2 50.

WEEKLY REVIEW OF THE OIL MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL, MONDAY, January 28, 1867.

The following are the receipts of oil by the rail roads for the past week. Also a comparative taole with the same period in 1866:

	Rivers.	Railroads.	Total
Monday, Jan. 21	.....	233	233
Tuesday, Jan. 22	.....	654	654
Wednesday, Jan. 23	.....	302	302
Thursday, Jan. 24	.....	901	901
Friday, Jan. 25	.....	1,917	1,917
Saturday, Jan. 26	.....	1,121	1,121
Total for week	.....	5,128	5,128
Since January 1	3,618	20,564	24,182
Total to Jan. 28	3,618	25,692	29,310
Same time 1866	43,121	38,926	82,047
Decrease in 1867	39,503	13,234	52,737

The oil market during the week was dull, the sales made being on a limited scale; buyers as a general thing don't seem to have much confidence in the present rates, besides the principal portion of the sales of Refined are for spring and summer delivery in the eastern cities. The refined market opened on Monday at the following prices: Philadelphia delivery—March 30c; April, 31c; May, 33@33½c; June, 34c; August, 35c. These figures were not maintained; during the week lower prices were the order of the day. The week's sales of bonded for eastern delivery reached 17,500 barrels. The nominal rates on the spot for bonded free on the cars was 24c—it may be proper to mention that some of our large refiners are not offering their stock at the present prices. Many of them have sufficient orders on their books and contracts made ahead to last for some time. The eastern market has ruled dull. The same will apply to the European markets. Free oil—beyond a few parcels for home purposes, there was nothing done. Prices have undergone no change.

Crude oil was without any movement worthy of particular notice. The stock of Allegheny on hand, outside of that held by refiners is not large. We notice daily arrivals by mails of Smith's Ferry. The current rates for bulk were 7½c per gallon; including barrels, 12½c. Allegheny oil was sold, for spring delivery, at 9c for bulk. One lot of 10,000 bbls was disposed of at these figures.

Saturday—The market was very dull. The sales made of crude were unusually light, the only sale being 550 bbls Smith's Ferry, barrels returned, at 7½c. Allegheny oil is held at 9c, bulk, spring delivery.

Refined—Inactivity was the ruling feature of the market. Sales light, viz: 1,000 bbls bonded, this month's delivery, Philadelphia, at 25c. Free oil sold only in a small way for local purposes at 44c; sales 50 bbls free on cars at 42½c.

The Oil City *Register* of Friday says: At the wells the price is $2 10a2 15, but the ruling price is $2 50 ₩ bbl. Not much doing, as the tanks are pretty well filled. The river is closed, with no hope of breaking up soon. Sledding is first rate, and a good deal of the oil is coming in on runners. The Farmers' road is bringing in considerable oil, and the arrangements making will enable them to handle a large quantity of oil in this city this year. The Warren and Franklin road is bringing very little or no oil to this point.

The Titusville petroleum market is firm and without change, says the *Herald*, of Friday. There was but a slight improvement in the number of transactions which occurred to-day. The producers are holding firm in consequence of the large decrease which has taken place in the production during the last two months. This decrease has enabled many of the large producers to hold their oil twice, and in some cases three times as long as they could before the cold weather set in. The bulk cars are still blockaded on the New York and Erie and Atlantic and Great Western railroads. There were to day but about twenty empty bulk cars on the Oil Creek Railroad below Titusville. The following sales were reported to-day: 50 bbls on Pioneer Run, 4 gr, at $2 at the wells; 100 bbls delivered on the platform at Miller, 46 gr at $1 80; 100 bbls on Pioneer Run, from the Mt. Vernon well, for the Erie market, 45 gr, at $2 at the wells; 25 bbls on Pioneer Run, working interest Foster Farm, for the Erie market 45 gr at $2 at the wells.

In New York crude is in moderate demand, says the *Commercial List* but at somewhat easier prices, the market closing at 13½a14c in bulk and 19a19½c in shipping order for 40a47 gravity. The sales are 1000 bbls in bulk at 13½c for regular gravity and 14½c for low gravity; 300 do. pkgs returned 14½c for regular, and 15½c low gravity; 1450 do. 20a20½c for regular, and 21½a22c for low gravity; 500 do. 40a47 gravity, in bulk at Elizabethport, 13c; 1000 do. for February, 13½; 1000 do. O. first be fon private terms and 200 do at Elizabethport, all February, 16c S. O. Refined in bond open at firm on Wednesday at 32 cents for S & W, but the transactions were small on Thursday there was less firmness, and small sales were effected at 31½c; yesterday the market gave way entirely and no sales were made at 30c; the market closing dull at 29c for February, 32c S & W and 31c for S. O. The sales for the three days are only 200 bbls L. S to W at 27½c and 2 500 do S. W. 30a32c. 10,000 gal on the 30th for February, 33c B. O. Free remains very dull; 50 bbls at 44c in bulk and 5,000 gallons S. W. in tin, at 35c.

Crude Oil Receipts per Railroad.

J. Baxter	55	J. T. Glass	50
S. McMahon & Co.	55	Warling & King	54
Crawford & Co.	10		
Total			224

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

Per Pitts. Ft. Wayne & Chicago R. R.

E H Myers & Co 1152 hams; F Sellers & Co, 2908 shoulders, 165 tcs lard; Schoonmaker & Lang, 50 tcs lard 100 bbls flour, 30 boxes candles, 28 do soap; Samuel Lindsay, Jr, & Co, 100 bbls flour; J. B. Doal, 100 do; Coble & Co 1 car wheat; Sturgeon & Bros, 125 sacks middlings; L H Voigt & Co, 39 bbls apples; D P Scott 1 box merchandise; A J Hagan, 1 box butter; Nimick & Co, 7 cars pig iron; H Rea Jr, 1 car hay; Allen & Shepard 23 sacks potatoes; C A Lang & Bro 1 car hay; Smith Johnson & Colvin, 10 boxes soap; L J Blanchard 3 boxes soap; Shields & Boucher 5 kegs pearl barley; Spencer & McKay, 249 sacks barley; Culp & Shepard, 50 bbls flour; W D Patterson, 1 car hay; Carson, Darlington & Co, 400 sacks barley; Wm Sumner & Co, 47 sewing machines, 1 box do; E Lichtenback 27 bundles buts 1 do wheels; Bryan & Caughey 10 cars pig iron.

ALLEGHENY STATION—Brune, 9 bbls apples; Summers, 1 lot household goods; S Dyer, 5 doz brooms; P Peterson, 2 stoves; Hahn & Hadley, 15 doz brooms; J Herbert, 10 bbls apples; G Myers, 1 bbl cheese; J M Tate, 16 sacks corn; M Hook, 21 bbls apples; Superior Iron Company, 6 cars limestone; M Heelsman, 210 sacks barley; M Weil, 28 bales hay; J W Granam, 1 car hay; Kennedy & Lathrop, 1 car corn; Coy, Noble & Co, 1 car wheat.

Per Cleveland and Pittsburgh Railroad.

Fahnestock Foster & Co 4 bbls lime; Page, Zellers & Duff, 2 boxes glass; F Woods, 21 bundles paper; Anderson, Boyd, 12 pcs marble; J M Cooper, 1 box copper; Forsyth, Taylor & Co, 1 bag truck; Porterfield Bro, 1 case cards; Sillinger & Bidwell, 1 car lumber; S Schmidt, 1 do; Shoenberger & Blair, 5 cars iron ore; Spencer & McKay, 1 car empty bbls; Dickinson, Marshall & Co, 25 bbls crude oil; Hostetter & Smith, 17 bundles paper; R Beckers & Co, 50 bbls flour; Davis & Phillips, 32 pcs gas pipe; W Howard, 101 old rope; Herron & Co, 2 cars bbls; Chas Stark, 5 do, 26 do; James Bowe, 1 augur stem, 1 box bits; National Refining and Storing Co, 40 bbls crude oil; S McMahon & Co, 35 do; D Bay, 54 do; James Glenn, 25 do; Fargo; John Sargent, 1 box tobacco, 15 sacks corn; F Sellers & Co, 23 tcs lard; Barbaugh & Co, 1 car empty bbls; 8 bbls lard oil; Blair & Woods, 16 bags flaxseed; M W Rankin, 3 kegs lard.

ALLEGHENY STATION.—R & W Jenkinson, 5 boxes tobacco; Stewart & Langenheim, 47 bbls flour; E France, 1 barrel; Ewer & Hamilton, 25 sacks flaxseed.

Per Allegheny Valley Railroad.

J & W Faidly, 62 sacks oats; G Ross, 55 do; W Ross, 46 do corn; Monongahela House, 6 packages mdse; Pittsburgh, Wm Kirkpatrick & Co, 1 box merchandise; W J Meek, 18 sacks rye; Harman Lore, 3 rolls roofing paper, 2 packages tools; E & J C Fawcett, 134 bbls crude oil; Excelsior Oil Company, 1 car scrap iron; W H Kirkpatrick & Co, 39 sacks flaxseed, 1 do elderberries & Laughlin, 2 cars pig metal; J Shaffer, 1 box butter; Wm Bingham, 32 sacks rye; G Ogden, 1 car pig iron.

Pitts. Columbus & Cincinnati Railroad.

G S Frazier 4 bbls beans; S Jackson, 15 dressed hogs; Fred Shieds, 14 bbls apples; 1 dressed hog; Meanor, Harper & Hood, 15 bbls apples; A Hoevler & Co, 48 sacks feed; Bicker & Co 35 sacks corn; Gilmore, Simpson & Co, 200 sacks corn; W W Moore 210 sacks corn; Schomaker & Lang, 100 bbls flour; S Barbaugh & Co, 2 cars wheat; Kennedy, Childs & Co, 23 bales cotton; Jas Gardiner & Co, 200 bbls flour.

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MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO MARKET.

CHICAGO, January 26, 1867.

FLOUR—Dull and nominal at $10a10 50 for spring extras.

WHEAT—Opened a shade firmer and closed quiet at $2 13½a2 14 for No. 1; $1 87a2 20 for No. 2.

CORN—Dull and unchanged; light sales at 78a78½c for No. 1.

OATS—Dull; small sales at 40½c for No. 2 in store.

PROVISIONS—Opened dull but closed firm and more active; mess pork 25a50c better at $18 25a18 75.

LIVE HOGS—Steady at $5 75a6 65 for common light; $6 15a6 40 for good to smooth heavy.

DRESSED HOGS—10a15c higher; sales range from $6 75a7 75, closing at $7 35 for lots dividing on 200. Receipts—4,000 dressed hogs. Shipments—1,600 dressed hogs.

New York Finance and Trade

Gold Closed at 134⅞.

NEW YORK, January 26—P. M.

THE STOCK MARKET.

Affairs in Wall street to-day were calmer. The heavy fall in stocks brought out buyers for investment. Rumors of failures have ceased. The transactions in stocks of the last six days aggregated 722,000 shares. The market to day was active and confident. There was a general advance at the close. Central and Erie were weaker though the balance of the market was stronger. Closing prices: New York Central, 104⅞; Erie, 58⅞; Hudson, 122; Reading 102⅝; Michigan Central, 104; Michigan Southern, 72⅞; Illinois Central, 112⅞; Pittsburgh, 82; Northwestern, 36; preferred, 64⅞; Toledo, 115; Rock Island, 96; Fort Wayne, 95⅞; Ohio Certificates, 24⅞; Cumberland, 35; Pacific Mail, 157; Western Union, 45⅞; Adams Express 66; American, 68a68⅞; United States, 65½a66; Wells, Fargo & Co., 70½; Merchants' Union 13⅞; National, 90.

GOVERNMENTS

Quiet and steady: Coupons '81, 107⅞a107⅞; do '62, 107a107⅛, do '64, 105⅞a105⅞; 10-40's, 99⅞a97⅞.

THE MONEY MARKET

Closed easier, and a more cheerful feeling prevailed. First class firms are readily supplied at call at 7 per cent. but there is a close scrutinizing of stocks and collaterals, and wide margins are exacted. Government Bankers are accommodated at 5 per cent. Discounts—next to nothing doing.

IMPORTS.

The imports at this port for this week were $3,363,970 including $2,052,061 worth of dry goods.

MINING SHARES.

Active. Gregory fell to 8 90, but rose at the close to 10 05; Corydon, 7 65; Gunnell, 135; Gold Hill, 4 65; Smith and Parmelee 2 80; Quartz Hill, 4 50.

COPPER STOCKS.

Prices mining stocks in Boston this day: Canada, 50c; Copper Falls, 49; Franklin, 13; Hancock, 9¾; Huron, 27; Isle Royal, 9; Minnesota, 10¾; Quincy, 31¾.

NEW YORK, January 26.—Money easy at 5a7 per cent. Sterling dull and heavy at 108⅝a109⅛. Gold steady, opening at 134⅞ advancing to 135⅛ and closing at 134⅞. Total exports of specie to-day $569,884. Government stocks without decided change. Freights to Liverpool firm, with engagements for 40,000 bush corn at 7½d per sail, 9d per steamer.

New York Market.

NEW YORK, January 26—Cotton unchanged, with sales of 600 bales. Flour dull and 10c lower. Receipts 2,537 bbls. Sales 4,500 bbls. Superfine state and western at $9 50a10 25; western $10 50a11 75; choice do $11 85; Shipping brands of round hoop Ohio $11 80a12 15; trade brands $12 20a13 90, closing dull. Whisky more active, with sales of 100 bbls in bond. Wheat active and unchanged with sales of 12,000 bush at $2 60 for No. 2; No. 3 $2 11a2 12. Rye quiet and steady, with sales of 3,000 bushels of western at $1 27, an outside price. Barley quiet, with sales of 12,500 Canada West at $1 12½a$1 20. Corn dull and ½c lower, with sales 8,000 bush mixed western in store at $1 15a1 16. Oats heavy; receipts 2,990 bushels, and sales of 17,000 bushels western at 61a65c. Groceries quiet but firm. Leather quiet and unchanged. Wool steady, with sales of 30,000 lbs at 40a43c for domestic fleece, 41a55c for pulled. Pork firm, with sales 5,000 bbls new mess at $19 87a20 62c closing at $20 50; old mess $19 37 at $19 50; new $19 25a19 50 for prime; $16 25a17 for prime mess; $19 50a20 50; also 1,500 bbls new mess for March, seller's and buyer's option, for February and March. Beef unchanged; with sales of 350 tierces. Beef hams quiet, with sales of 2,250 bbls at $ 94a23 50. Bacon quiet, cut meats dull and unchanged, with sales of 200 packages. Dressed hogs firmer; western 8½a8¾c. Lard dull and heavy, with sales of 300 bbls old at 12a12½c, new 12¾a13¾c. Butter steady and unchanged. Cheese quiet at 14a19½c.

Cincinnati Market.

CINCINNATI, January 26.—Flour held firm, but the demand has been but moderate. Wheat firm, no change; No 1 winter at $2 80a3 00. Corn firm, though demand slight: 55c for shelled, 61a62c. Oats dull, at 51c for No 1. Rye unchanged. Cotton dull, at 30a32c, for middling not much offering, but there is hardly any demand. Whisky dull, at 25c in bond. Hogs $7 25a7 50, holders firm; a lot averaging 400 pounds sold at the latter rate, but this was an extreme rate, owing to unusual large size; medium to good, $6a7 50, though packers are not willing to pay these rates. Receipts 8,400, which includes some which had previously been reported by railroads. Mess Pork said to a limited extent at $20, but outside city brands offered at this rate sparingly, though enough to meet the demand. Bulk meats in but little demand; held at 7¾a8c for shoulders, and 9½a9¾c for sides. Lard dull at 12c, with sales of 150 tierces. Green meats quiet at 6¼a7½c and 9¾c for shoulders; sides are wanted for immediate delivery at 10c. but held to be delivered a week hence at 12c. Sugar at 11a13c. Gold 134. Exchange firm, and a shade higher as regards buying rate. Money market unchanged.

St. Louis Market.

ST. LOUIS, January 26.—The markets are nearly at a standstill to-day; buyers are holding off or claiming large concessions than sellers are willing to make. An unusually small business was done. In cotton and tobacco nothing transpired. Flour unchanged. Wheat heavy and dull at $2 50 for choice and $2 95 for fancy. Corn lower at 80a83c. Oats dull at 60a65c. Provisions quiet and unchanged. Hogs $6 75. Total number killed to date, 162,000. Whisky—Nothing done.

Weekly Review of the Wholesale Market.

NEW YORK, January 26—Breadstuffs have been much depressed and lower prices accepted. Under the panic in high grades, prices declined 75c to $1 for family brands of flour, and the market closes unsteady. Low grades are more steady.

Pork has fluctuated rapidly from the highest point about $1 50 ₩ parcel.

Louisville Market.

LOUISVILLE, January 26.—Superfine flour $10 00. Prime wheat $1 85. Corn, shelled bulk, 70c; ear, 60c. Oats 60c. Mess pork $2 50. Bulk shoulders 8½c; clear sides, 11½c, packed; bacon shoulders 12c; clear sides 12½c. Lard 12½c. Raw whisky $2 29.

Milwaukee Market.

MILWAUKEE, January 26.—Flour dull and unchanged. Wheat dull and unchanged. Oats weak and nominal, at 46c for No. 1; 41c for No. 2. Corn quiet, at 64c for shelled. Provisions dull; mess pork $18 00. Dressed hogs quiet, at $6 90a7 10.

Philadelphia Market.

PHILADELPHIA, January 26.—Flour dull and drooping; superfine $8a8 75; extra family $12a14. Wheat nominal. Oats 57a58c. Clover seed $8 25 a 8 50. Whisky nominal. Crude petroleum 18a20c; refined in bond 28c.

New York Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, January 26.—The dry goods market is flat, but prices are sustained except for Atlantic A heavy brown sheetings, which are reduced ½c to 22c, same as other varieties.

Baltimore Market.

BALTIMORE, January 26.—Coffee quiet; stocks light and held firmly. Flour nominally unchanged. Wheat $3 15 for Southern red. Corn steady at 95a97c for mixed. Provisions unchanged. Whisky nominal.

PROPOSALS.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS will be received at the Office of SHOEMAKER, MILLER & CO., in Leavenworth, Kansas, until the 14th day of February, 1867, for

Grading and Masonry of 100 Miles of Union Pacific R. R., Eastern Division.

Between Fort Ellsworth and Pond Creek, Kansas. Profiles and specifications will be ready for examination after the 1st day of February. The work must all be done during the Summer of 1867. Payments will be made in Cash every Thirty Days. The country is healthy, and the work offers good inducements to contractors. For further information apply to GEO. WALLACE, Superintendent Construction, Junction City; GEORGE T. WICKES, Engineer, or R. H. SHOEMAKER, Assistant Manager, Leavenworth Kansas, or to T. F. OAKES, at the Office of the Union Pacific Railroad, corner Fifth and Oak streets, St. Louis.

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TO RAILROAD CONTRACTORS.

OFFICE LOUISVILLE, CINCINNATI AND LEXINGTON RAILROAD,
LOUISVILLE, January 21, 1867.

In consequence of the snow, the time for examining work on the Cincinnati Branch of this Road is extended until February 15th, when the letting will take place as previously advertised.

L. M. ST. JOHN, Chief Engineer.

OFFICE PITTSBURGH FORGE AND IRON CO.,
Pittsburgh, January 16, 1867.

TO BUILDERS.—PROPOSALS

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TO BUILDERS—

Sealed propositions for the materials and constructions of the Alliance College Building, which is to be erected at Alliance, Ohio, the coming season, will be received by the Building Committee, at Alliance, until the

25TH DAY OF JANUARY NEXT.

Propositions may be made for the materials and for the parts of the work separately, or for the whole together. Plans and specifications of the work can be seen at the Banking House of Teeters, Mitner & Paul, on and after the 5th day of January, 1867. Any information desired in regard to the building, may be obtained of S. C. PORTER, the Architect, at his office, No. 7 Perkin's Block, Cleveland, Ohio.

J. B. MILNER, President of Board.
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no20-1taw6w M. TINDLE, Administrator.

RIVER TELEGRAMS.

Oil City.

Special Dispatch to Pittsburgh Commercial.
[By Merchants' National Telegraph Line.]

OIL CITY, January 27.—Weather cold and cloudy. Wind blowing hard all day. River and creek both closed.

RIVER NEWS.

Miscellaneous River Items.

Captain Fowler, who arrived at St. Louis on Friday, reports a large gorge at Hat island, above Cairo.

The steamer Antelope was loading at St. Louis for Vicksburg.

Captain Ben Johnson threatens to sell his steamboat stock and quit the business. Well, who cares?

The Salver No 2 wrecking boat, has been ordered to the wreck of the Platte Valley.

The steamer Quickstep has resumed her trips in the Cairo and Evansville trade.

Captain Tom Berry has purchased an interest in the St. Patrick at Memphis.

The weather continues intensely cold. Our rivers are still blockaded, and are likely to remain so. It will take a large amount of rain to open up our rivers again.

John L. Grammer, an old steamboat man, died at Cape Girardeau county, Missouri, a few days since.

The insurance upon the steamer Mexico amounted to fifteen thousand dollars, instead of seven, as first reported.

The steamer Tabiequan is laid up at Hall's Point.

The steamer Wauanita was loading at Saint Louis for Memphis.

ALL RIGHT.—The steamers engaged in the lower trade are placing signs in front of the clerk's office, which bear this inscription: "By order, no free or half fare passes will be issued at this office."

The Cincinnati Boatmen's Charitable Association held a meeting on Tuesday at Cincinnati, with the following result: The undersigned named steamboat captains were unanimously elected Directors of the organization, viz: Captains William Mills, C. P. Shaw, John N. Shunk, J. H. Marattu, Jona. S. Patterson, F. Y. Batchelor, O. P. Saindle, H. A. Jones and James S. Wise.

Louisville.

January 25.—We condense the following from the *Courier*:

NAVIGATION RESUMED.—The river was falling very slowly yesterday, barely three inches in twenty four hours, and there were ten feet and nine inches in the canal, and ... feet on the falls, the river having fallen six ... the day previous. ... [illegible]

The snow and ice are gradually disappearing, ... [illegible]

The Argonaut No. 2, that recently sank at the New Albany shore, below the wharf, has at length been abandoned to the underwriters. The freight has all been removed, including her cargo of pig iron, and being valued at only $4,000 as she now lies, it is not likely she will be raised. She was fully insured in the Cincinnati insurance companies.

Navigation upon the lower river is fully resumed, with the arrival yesterday of the David White from New Orleans, and the Nora from the Arkansas. They had been laid up at Newhaven and reported every little ice, and had no trouble from it during their trip.

Messrs. Sherley, Woodlock & Co., received a dispatch from Cairo at noon yesterday announcing the safe arrival of the Silver Moon at that point with all safe, and as soon as the ice breaks up she will be on her way to Memphis. The Silver Moon is on her way to Memphis. Now that the boats are fairly moving, business has fully resumed, shippers are forwarding freight, and the rates of freight will, doubtless, be much lighter in consequence.

The rise in the Mississippi, reported by the late Ohio river rise, has been fully 19 feet water at Plumb Point, and the boats can now go over the gorges hence to Memphis.

A Coal barge loaded with 599 bushels of coal belonging to the ferry landing ... [illegible]

Seven of the steamers ... [illegible]

The towboat ... [illegible]

The Cumberland ... reaching a point ... evening with ... Five sixths of ... at Nashville ... county ... [illegible]

The *Democrat* ... [illegible]

The towboat Champion ... day to cut her way ... er Darling, lying ... the intention of ... lighten her cargo ... fails, but the ice ... it was impossible ... get away to-day.

The steamer Montgomery, destroyed by fire a few days since at the mouth of Beaver river, was an old tin-clad gunboat, and was of but little value.

The ice in the river at this point is breaking up, as heavily as it has been at any time, and will soon run ... blazes. Should it do so, it will ... that owners of ... out. There is ... the wharf, and ... and heavy. It ... sink it or rise to ... [illegible]

St. Louis.

The *Dispatch* says:

The gorge between here and Cairo still continues to hold fast, and so far as could be definitely known yesterday, the ice in the neighborhood of Hat Island and vicinity is considerable as ever. The weather remains unchanged except that we had a spell of rain, which is what of all others we do not at the time now desire. The snow would then be converted into water, and a rise of the river would be sufficient to remove the obstruction, but afford a good boating stage.

Matters at the levee are necessarily very dull, there being nothing doing in except the ferry boats, which still manage to make their trips. Several boats are in readiness to leave for New Orleans, and some other points, and there will be quite a stir as soon as the ice moves and after navigation is opened.

The *Democrat* says: The Silver Moon, bound up to Louisville, was bound up to Memphis, and the steamer ... [illegible], leaving, except the ... The weather ... though not rapidly ... was her ... cheerful. An ... is expected ... insurance companies ... to-day. ... from Big Eddy ... The Luminary ... Island. It is now ... boats aground ... Anna White and ... which will ... of a rise.

The towboat B ... leans to Cairo ... in tow.

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